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SUBJECT: LEAHY VETTING RESPONSE (PODGORICA 31)

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- 11. (U) This cable responds to the action request in reftel requesting human rights vetting for the candidate nominated to attend the Department of Justice, Office of Prosecutorial Development, Assistance and Training sponsored Task Force study trip in Tirana, Albania. Scheduled for March 8, 2010.
- 12. (SBU) The Department of State has vetted the individual listed in reftel and possesses no credible derogatory information as of 02/22/2010. Post is authorized to include the following individual in USG-funded training:

AME (First/Last): Dragan Radonjic

D/POB: 19 October 1976; Podgorica

GENDER: Male

TITLE: Head of Group for Combating Organized Economic Crime

ORGANIZATION: Police Directorate

NATIONALITY: Montenegrin

- 13. (U) Post is permitted to provide the following statement to authorized parties: Embassy verifies that the Department of State possesses no credible information of gross violations of human rights by the individual identified above, as of 02/22/2010. Post may cite this cable in response.
- 14. (SBU) Note that if Post subsequently becomes aware of possible human rights violations by the individual listed above, Post should inform the Department and not proceed with training. Post should refer to the Leahy Vetting guidance manual for additional assistance.